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that and turn it back over to schools, it would cost the schools 4 million, three hundred and sixty-four thousand, eighty...sixty-nine dollars. And with that, that's my opening on the A bill.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Thank you, Senator Bohlke. Senator Vrtiska, for discussion on 386A.

SENATOR VRTISKA: Thank you, Mr. Chairman. Senator Bohlke, I just had a question I'd like to ask you.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Senator Bohlke, would you yield.

SENATOR BOHLKE: Certainly.

SENATOR VRTISKA: I meant to ask you on the bill, itself, but I slipped over it. I thought I recall during the discussion something about if they had the bill, it would raise this half cent, and almost of them did, and some didn't, is that correct?

SENATOR BOHLKE: None of them did it, none raised except one, Senator Vrtiska, and that was for the amount, if I recall, close to \$35,000, and I see Senator Baker saying, yes, it happened to be the ESU in his district.

SENATOR VRTISKA: But they were the ones who decided they wanted to move ahead at that time, and I guess I...

SENATOR BOHLKE: Well, for a small portion of it really,...

SENATOR VRTISKA: Okay.

SENATOR BOHLKE: ...and it wasn't...it could have been a larger amount but all the other ESUs said we will work with the Legislature, although we have the ability, we will not, and we made the commitment of solving it here on the floor.

SENATOR VRTISKA: Okay, thanks a lot.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Thank you, Senator Vrtiska. Senator Bromm, for discussion on 386A.